

method comprising topically applying to said sensitive skin an effective amount of at least one substance P antagonist-containing composition, and wherein said effective amount of said at least one substance P antagonist is formulated into a topically applicable cosmetically- or dermatologically-acceptable medium therefor.

47. (Amended) The method of Claim 25, wherein said substance P antagonist is administered with at least one active ingredient selected from the group consisting of protein, protein hydrolyzates, amino acids, polyalcohols, urea, allantoin, sugars, sugar derivatives, vitamins, hydroxy acids, retinol, tocopherol, ceramides, essential oils, and salicylic acid.

48. (Amended) The method of Claim 26, wherein said substance P antagonist is administered together with at least one agent selected from the group consisting of a skin differentiating modulating agent, a skin proliferation modulating agent, a skin pigmentation modulating agent, vitamin D, an estrogen, an antibacterial agent, an antiparasitic agent, an antifungal agent, an anti-inflammatory agent, an anesthetic agent, an anti-pruriginous agent, an antiviral agent, a keratolytic agent, an anti-free radical agent, an anti-seborrhea agent, an anti-dandruff agent, and an anti-acne agent.

55. A cosmetic or dermatological method for treating sensitive, but not allergic, skin of an individual in need of such treatment, such sensitive skin having or developing neurogenic manifestations of dyesthesia caused by the release of substance P therein, the

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method comprising topically applying to said sensitive skin an effective amount of at least one substance P antagonist-containing composition, and wherein said effective amount of said at least one substance P antagonist is formulated into a topically applicable cosmetically- or dermatologically-acceptable medium therefor.

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77. (Amended) The method of Claim 55, wherein said substance P antagonist is administered with at least one active ingredient selected from the group consisting of protein, protein hydrolyzates, amino acids, polyalcohols, urea, allantoin, sugars, sugar derivatives, vitamins, hydroxy acids, retinol, tocopherol, ceramides, essential oils, and salicylic acid.

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85. (Amended) A cosmetic or dermatological method for treating capsaicin-sensitive skin of an individual in need of such treatment, such sensitive skin having or developing neurogenic manifestations of dyesthesia caused by the release of substance P therein, the method comprising topically applying to said capsaicin-sensitive skin an effective amount of at least one substance P antagonist-containing composition, and wherein said at least one substance P antagonist is formulated into a topically applicable cosmetically- or dermatologically-acceptable medium therefor.

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107. (Amended) The method of Claim 85, wherein said substance P antagonist is administered with at least one active ingredient selected from the group consisting of protein, protein hydrolyzates, amino acids, polyalcohols, urea, allantoin, sugars, sugar

derivatives, vitamins, hydroxy acids, retinol, tocopherol, ceramides, essential oils, and
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